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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE****In re Application of:** Arenberg, et al**Title:** CONTROLLED RELEASE SYSTEM FOR DELIVERING THERAPEUTIC AGENTS  
INTO THE INNER EAR**Serial No.:** 09/205,251**Filing date:** 12/04/98**Examiner:** Thanh, Loan H.**Group Art Unit:** 3763**Mail Stop AF****Commissioner for Patents****P.O. Box 1450****Alexandria, VA 22313****TRANSMITTAL FEE SHEET**

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Transmitted herewith are the following for the above-identified application:

1. Transmittal Fee Sheet (2pp.);
2. Petition for Extension of Time (1pg.);
3. Request for Continued Examination Transmittal (RCE) (1pg.);
4. Response to Final Office Action (11pp.).

**X Applicant claims Small Entity Status****Fee Calculation** – The fee has been calculated as follows:**CLAIMS AS FILED** (Fees computed under §1.16)

Claims	Number Filed	Minus claims already paid for	Number Extra	Small Entity Rate	RCE Fee \$375.00
<b>Total Claims</b>	48	-25	23	X \$ 9	\$ 207.00
<b>Indep. Claims</b>	7	-3	4	X \$42	\$ 168.00
<b>___ Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any + \$270</b>					\$ 0

**TOTAL FILING FEE** \$750.00**Petition for Extension of Time Fee** \$205.00**TOTAL FEES** \$955.00

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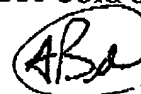
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